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Dear Sir:


In a telephone conversation with Examiner Supervisor John A. Follansbee (571-272-3964) on April 13, 2006, Applicant apprised Examiner Follansbee that Applicant never received a copy of the Office Action mailed November 16, 2006 (copy attached). It appears from PAIR that the Patent Office used an incorrect mailing address. Mr. Follansbee stated to Applicant that a response to the November 16, 2005 Office Action would not be required and that a new Office Action would be issued by the Patent Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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